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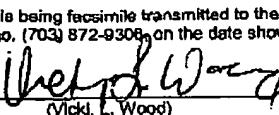
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of June 10, 2005, please amend the above identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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